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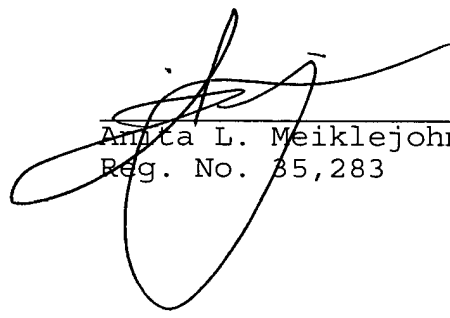
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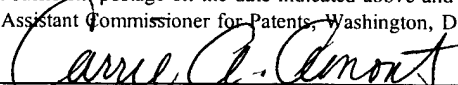

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Cancel claims 6, and 14-28.

Add new claims 29-50.

-29. An isolated polypeptide selected from the group consisting of:

- a) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3;
- b) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:7;
- c) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:9;
- d) a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence encoded by the cDNA of the clone contained in ATCC Accession No. 97880;

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